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In re application of: Reinhard STÜBER et al.

Mail Stop Amendment

Application No. : 10/678,151

Group Art Unit: 2854

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For

PRINTING MECHANISM WITH TEMPERING DEVICE

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Service Window, Mail Stop Amendment
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401 Dulany Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.121 in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

A Request for Extension of Time.

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C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3)).

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Sir:

Responsive to the Notification of Non-Compliant Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.121 dated March 22, 2005, the instant response being submitted within the one month period for response, i.e., by April 22, 2005, to correct the "Amendments to the Claims" section of Applicants' March 14, 2005 Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111. Accordingly, reconsideration of the December 14, 2004 Office Action is respectfully requested in view of Applicants' amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.